The complete management and control of Appu Ghai- rests with M/s. interna sional Amusement Ltd. How-ever, the company has to obtain prior permission of TFAI for any additions, alterations, installation of new rides, fixing of rates for rides and gene .-al management and up-keep of the area in Appu Ghar.

(c) As the Appu Ghar ifl managed by a private organisation, the question of pay and allowances of its employees being at par or not with those available to Central Government employees does not arise.

(d) No such case has come to the notice of Government.

Labour Courts and Industrial Tribunals

1298. DR. MOHD. HASHIM KIDWAI; Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Labour Courts[Industrial Tribunals functioning jn the country as on Jun$_e$ 30, 1986, Statewise;

(b) the number of labour|industrial disputes decided hy these Courts till June* 1986;

(c) the number of pending disputes, between the Labour Union$_s$ and Managements in the Courts;

(d) the number of cases which are more than five, four, three and two years old; and

fe) the step$_s$ taken by Government to speed up disposal of cases?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR (SHRI P. A SANGMA); (a) There are 10 Central Government Industrial Trbunals-cum-La-bour Courts. The State Governments! Union Territories set up Labour Courts| Tribunals for cases in the state sphere. As per available information 115 Labour Court*!, 57 Industrial Tribunals and 6 Industrial Tribunal-cum-Labour Courts were functioning in th$_e$ Srates|Union Territories p* ou 31-3-83.

(b) and (c) The Central Governmeat Industrial Tribunals and Labour Courts have decided 241 cases and 1286 application during the period 1-1-86 to 30-6-86. 1493 cases and 3158 application* were pending in these ten Court* on 30-6-86.

(d) The information on the pendency of these cases is not maintained on the bawt of five four, thre$_e$ and two years. The duration of pendency of these cases ig M indicated beiow;

Sl. No.	Period	Cases	Applica-tions
1.	Less than 6 months	595	1466
2.	6 to 12 months	199	398
3.	1 to 2 years	284	311
4.	2 to 3 years	235	298
5.	Over 3 years	180	805

The break-up of the pendency of caae* in the State Labour Courts and the *Tribunals* is not maintained. As 31-3-85 information received from different States and Union Territories barring the States of Assam, Madhya Pradesh, Jammu and Kashmir and Himachal Pradesh indicates that 1,80,038 cases wero pending with the Courts/Tribunals in lbs States/Union Territories.

(e) The Industrial Disputes Act, 1947 has been amended so as to provide *tion** an order referring industrial disputes sha! specify the period of submission of Award by the Industrial Tribunal/Labour Court and in respect of Industrial Disputes connected with an individual workman and applications, such period shali not exceed three month. Th$_e$ Industrial Dispute* (Central) Rule. 1957 have also bee* amended to provid? time frame for different stages to ensure speedy disposal. Tin State Governments have also been advised to carry out suitable amendments to tb* *Stute* Rules in this regard.